Module title
Religion and theology in culture and society 1

Abbreviation
01-GWS1-092-m01

Module coordinator
Dean of Studies Faculty of Catholic Theology

Module offered by
Faculty of Catholic Theology

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Method of grading
Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

Duration
1 semester

Module level
undergraduate

Other prerequisites
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Contents
The socio-anthropological impact of religion. Discussion of the relevance religious education has in today’s secular society. The cultural relevance of religious phenomena and forms of expression of religion. An introduction to theological arguments in current debates in ethics.

Intended learning outcomes
At the end of the course, students will have become familiar with religion and religious phenomena in today’s plural and multicultural society. They will have developed a knowledge of the fundamental principles of the theology of religions and will have approached problems in anthropology from a religious point of view. They will be able to critically reflect upon religious phenomena and forms of expression of religion.

Courses
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
V (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
a) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 15 minutes) or b) oral examination in groups (groups of 2: approx. 30 minutes, groups of 3: approx. 45 minutes) or c) presentation (approx. 30 minutes) or d) written examination (approx. 30 minutes) or e) essay (approx. 5 pages) or f) assessments during lecture period (approx. 20 hours total). Assessments during the lecture period comprise several small assessments such as completing case or application-oriented exercises, completing work sheets, conducting research or preparing a portfolio. These assessments accompany the course and serve purposes of preparation, consolidation of knowledge and skills, reflection, practical application and documentation of progress in the learning process.

Allocation of places
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Additional information
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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Module appears in
First state examination for the teaching degree Grundschule Educational Science (2009)
First state examination for the teaching degree Hauptschule Educational Science (2009)
First state examination for the teaching degree Sonderpädagogik Educational Science (2009)
First state examination for the teaching degree Mittelschule Educational Science (2013)